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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Weimin Sun et al.
Serial No.: 09/657404
Filed: September 8, 2000
Title: IMPROVED RATE-ADAPTIVE THERAPY WITH AUTOMATIC LIMITING OF MAXIMUM PACING RATE

Examiner: Frances Oropeza
Group Art Unit: 3762
Docket No: 279.279US1

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed January 29, 2004, said period of response being extended from April 29, 2004 to May 29, 2004 (a Saturday).

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee.

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